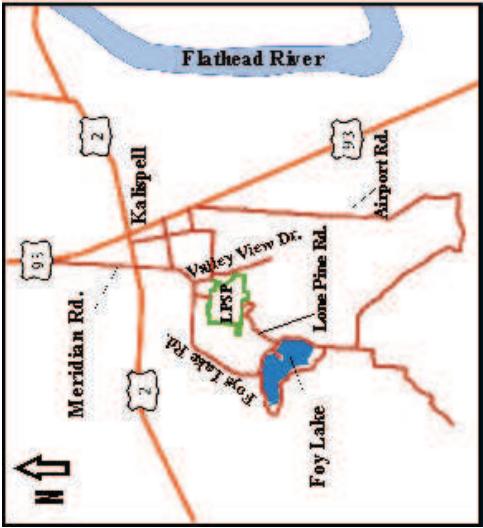




## Want to book a field trip?

Field trips at Lone Pine are available Tuesdays through Fridays during the fall and spring months. Winter programs are currently unavailable. To book your field trip, please contact Mary Beth Chappelow at 755-2706 or via e-mail at [mchappelow@mt.gov](mailto:mchappelow@mt.gov). All education programs are **FREE** of charge and are booked on a first come, first served basis.



## Conservation Education Programs



### Getting There

Lone Pine State Park is located five miles southwest of Kalispell, above Foy's Lake. From downtown Kalispell, go west on U.S. Highway 2 to Meridian Road. Take a left on Meridian and follow this road up the hill for 3 miles. Watch for a brown state park sign and take a left on Lone Pine Road. Follow this road up the hill and through the park entrance gate.



Lone Pine State Park offers a variety of field trips and children's programs throughout the year. Inside you'll find a brief description of our current fall and spring field trips. We are also willing to work with your group to create a field trip suitable to your needs.

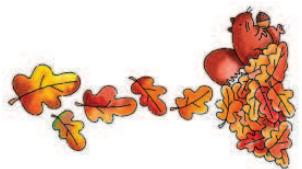
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# Field Trip Descriptions

animals and plants and their relationships to one another.

## Program Objectives:

- Learn the four components of a habitat & discover what's in a forest habitat
  - Explore forest animals and their relationships with one another
  - Observe animal homes and signs
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## Treasures of the Forest

Grade Level: Pre – K

Program Length: 45 minutes

## Program Description:

From role-playing growing trees to taking a "micro-hike," this program provides plenty of hands-on opportunities for youngsters. Students will discover what a tree needs to grow, observe tree characteristics, and learn basic components of a forest habitat.

## Program Objectives:

- Identify how a forest looks in either the spring or fall
- Learn the four basic needs of a tree leaves, and seeds
- Understand that a number of trees together make a habitat
- Explore what lives in a forest habitat

## Living at Lone Pine

Grade Level: K – 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Program Description:

This program allows students to discover a forest habitat. Using indoor and outdoor activities, students will learn about forest

bottom of the Lone Pine Trail to the Interpretive Center at the top, or they can be shorter loop trails that start from the Interpretive Center. Program topics and content are listed below.

## The Crazy World of Insects

Grade Level: 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>

## Program Length: 1 ½ hours

## Program Description:

Highlight your insect unit with this fun-filled program. Students will review insect attributes, learn the four life stages, practice insect communication and investigate insects in their natural habitat.

## The Lone Pine Forest

Grade Level: 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>

## Program Length: 1 ½ hours

## Program Description:

This program focuses on forest ecology. Through activities, discussion and hiking, students will be able to identify tree parts and learn their functions, discover what lives in the forest, and learn how the forest changes over time.

## Surviving the Outdoors

Grade Level: 5<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>

## Program Length: 1 ½ – 2 hours

## Program Description:

Your students will enjoy this active approach to learning important methods for surviving in the outdoors. Students will understand how to plan ahead and be prepared for their outdoor adventure as well as take a mini-survival hike to practice their new skills.

*Depending upon ranger availability, custom field trips may be available upon request.*

## Climb to the Top

Expand your students' minds and lungs by following a forest hike with a fun, active educational program. Hikes can be from the

